



Borough of Merchantville  
New Jersey

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Dear Borough Resident:

We are pleased to announce that the Borough is entering into a new trash and recycling collection agreement with Gold Medal Environmental effective January 8, 2016. By entering into this five (5) year agreement, the Borough is ensuring that this basic service is provided effectively and at the best rate for the residents. However, we have a new collection day and it is important for residents to note that **beginning January 8, 2016 all trash and recycling will be collected on Friday for the entire town.** Service will continue for trash and single stream recycling as follows:

- **Gold Medal Environmental will collect trash and recycling as listed herein every Friday for the entire town.**
  - Items can be placed at the curb after 3:00PM on Thursday to be ready for curbside pickup at 7:00AM.
  - Holiday collection will be on Saturday for the following federal holidays when they fall on any weekday:
    - New Year's Day, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Thanksgiving and Christmas.
- Trash:** household trash, rugs and furniture, Ceramic bathroom fixtures (toilets and sinks) garbage, clothes, wood products, Hard cover books and non metal toys, Etc.
- Recycle:** single stream, see attached information.
- Latex Paint:** must be dried out with the can cleaned out and lid removed from can. Once paint can is empty and dry it can be put into the recycle stream. See Borough website for further instructions.

All other materials set forth below will be collected every **Friday** by **Merchantville Department of Public Works:**

- Metals:** any product which contains non burnable items such as washers, dryers and refrigerators etc.
- Electronic waste:** TV, Radios, Computers, Keyboards, CRT, Towers or Desktop, shredders, etc. these items must be placed curb side separate from other trash.
- Household Chemicals:** oil based paint, shellac, varnish, weed killer, poisons, household chemical cleaners etc. must be separated and in a secure and labeled container.

**Yard Waste** schedule continues as: West Side of town on the second and fourth Monday of each month  
East side of town on the first and third Monday of each month

\*Reminder: Brush and debris must be bundled in four foot lengths and tied or placed in a trash can, paper (preferred) or plastic bags. Flower pots and plastic items should be recycled. Landscapers must remove all items from the property.

If you have additional questions, please contact the Public Works Department at 856.665.0590 or via email at [publicworks@merchantvillenj.gov](mailto:publicworks@merchantvillenj.gov).

Sincerely,

Mayor Edward F. Brennan

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